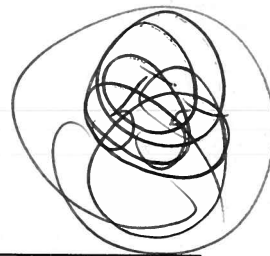


## SHORT STORY TEST

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Name \_\_\_\_\_



1. Turning point

climax

2. Learned through what a person says, what he/she does and what others say about the person

characterization

3. Detailed description of something that happened in the past

flashback

4. Universal truth

theme

5. All knowing point of view

omniscient

6. References to a famous literary work

allusion

7. Unexpected twist in the plot

irony

8. Author's attitude toward his subject

tone

9. Sequence of events in a story

plot

10. The feeling that a work of literature produces to the reader

mood

11. Character's problem

conflict

12. Literary work typically read in one setting

short story

a.) O'Henry

b.) Poe

c.) Doyle

- b 1. Dealt with the macabre
- b 2. Father of the detective story
- a 3. Typically used irony
- c 4. Once a doctor
- a 5. Imprisoned at one time
- b 6. Lead an unhappy life
- b 7. A poet as well as a short story writer
- b 8. Main character couldn't deal with his conscience
- c 9. Resurrected a main character due to popular demand
- a 10. Wrote about the common people

**Briefly discuss five characteristics of O'Henry's style or Poe's.**

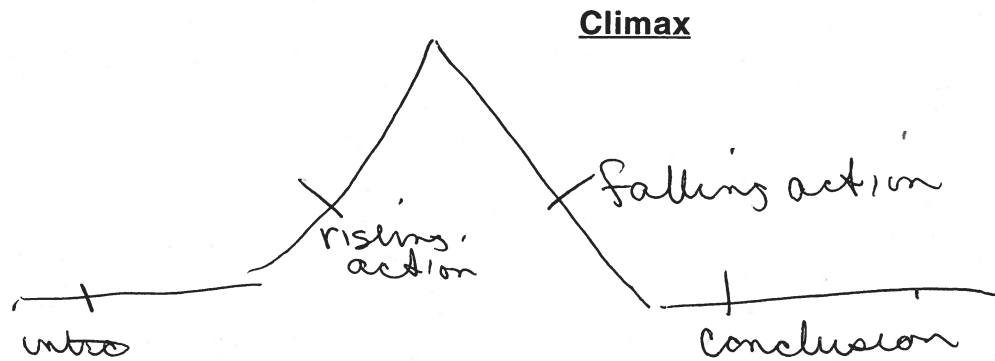
O'Henry

1. common people
  2. irony
  3. humor
  4. city setting
  5. exaggeration
- Texas or N.Y.

Poe

mysteries  
macabre  
murder  
psychotic  
unexpected endings  
mood builder  
gory

Draw a structured overview, explaining the various components of a plot structure.



3. Why were Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's stories in demand?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

4. How did Poe become a master at developing "mood"?

1. word usage
2. setting
3. characters thoughts
4. 1st person
5. motives

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**5. What has made O’Henry popular?**

1.

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4.

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